

## Press Release

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## **West Valley City to Reconstruct 12 City Roads**

WEST VALLEY CITY – In an effort to mitigate damage caused by winter conditions, West Valley City will reconstruct 12 City roads this year. The roads were chosen based on three criteria. First, a visual field inspection was performed to assess the needs of the roads in West Valley City. Second, an independent study by Utah State University of all the roads in West Valley City provided a remaining service life rating and third, the year the road was built was also taken into consideration. The street projects are slated to begin in late May and will be completed by Kilgore Paving and Maintenance. The cost for the overall project is approximately \$672,000. A complete list is included below.

In addition to the reconstruction projects, the City will perform minor repairs on roads with potholes and other maintenance issues as soon as the weather permits and asphalt is available. As usual, City work crews will slurry seal City roads throughout West Valley City to help increase the service life for the roads. Currently the City implements a schedule that allows each City road to be re-sealed every five years.

"We're looking forward to having the roads repaired as soon as possible," said Russ Willardson, Public Works Director. "We appreciate the patience of our citizens as we try to improve our roads throughout the City in a timely manner."

## Roads to be reconstructed (in no particular order):

- 1. 4290 South 4800 West to 4625 West\*
- Toulouse Street 3760 West to 4550 South\*
- 3. 4140 West 3100 South to 3270 South\*
- 3145 South 4760 West to 4610 West\*
- 5. 4760 West 3100 South to 3200 South\*
- 6. Lemar Way 5100 West to 4975 West\*
- 7. Richfield Avenue 4800 West to 4580 West\*
- 8. Manhatten Drive 4400 West to 3935 South^
- 9. Hawkeye Drive 4100 South to 3887 South
- 10. Atlas Way 3935 South to 3650 South^
- 11. Sharal Park Drive 6400 West to 6600 West^
- 12. Cilma Drive 6000 West to 5780 West<sup>^</sup>
- \* Pulverize and Pave
- ^ Overlay